

SUBLETTE BANK ROBBERY WAS PLANNED BY GANG?

REPUDIATES
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OF SLAYINGWidow of Victim and
Lover Held Today
Without Bail

New York, Mar. 22—(AP)—Mrs. Ruth Snyder, and Henry Judd Gray, who signed confessions that they had murdered Mrs. Snyder's art editor husband, Albert Snyder, in a love and insurance plot, pleaded not guilty in a federal court today and were held without bail for the grand jury. They repudiated their confession.

WAS OLD, OLD STORY

New York, Mar. 22—(AP)—A young married woman whose vicious nature was revealed by her confession that she had killed her husband, "Tommy," last night broke down after 14 hours of grilling in a police station, and related to the police the sordid details of the murder of her husband before dawn Sunday.

It was the "old story," said the police, "the eternal triangle" of a young woman linked in marriage to a man her senior and a plot for "freedom" with the "other man" resulting in a crime of premeditated brutality, described by the police as unparalleled here in years.

The principals in the crime are: Albert Snyder, art editor of a magazine of motor boating, 45 years old; his attractive bobbed haired wife, Ruth, 22, and his wife's friend, Henry Judd Gray, 24, accused by her in an alleged confession of the actual slaying.

Was Brutal Murder
The eldest is dead from blows on the head with an iron bar, and from his neck having been nearly cut through with twisted picture wire. The other two were taken by the police in widely separated cities in New York state.

Gray was arrested in Syracuse, N. Y., in hotel room. Fully dressed, dapper 30, Gray, a co-set salesman, and a husband and father with a residence in Orange, N. J., shrugged his shoulders at the entrance of the police, they said, and denied any knowledge of the crime.

He had been in Syracuse since Friday, he said, and while he admitted he had been intimate with Mrs. Snyder, he added that he never had met her husband.

In a police station at Long Island City, meaning Mrs. Snyder was continuing, according to the police, the story of the slaying.

Story Was Lurid.
This story was a new one, replete with lurid details. It completely swept away her previous hysterical, fantastical outburst that she had been seized, bound and gagged by "a giant of a man" while another beat to death her husband.

The alleged confession told of the return of the Snyder family to their modest home in Queens Village—the husband and his wife and their nine year old daughter Lorraine, from a bridge whilst game at a neighbor's home, after midnight Sunday.

Mr. Snyder, who had said "quite a lot of 'peaches' wanted to go to bed, she is alleged to have said, and she helped him undress. Deaf in one ear, she placed him on the bed with his "deaf ear up" and then, the police say, she let Gray into the house.

In the next room, the two had a few drinks, the statement said, and after Gray is alleged to have said "I can't live without you," the murder was planned.

Gray is alleged to have struck the sleeping man with an iron instrument, which the police believe was the iron pinch bar, found together with rubber gloves in Gray's grip in Syracuse.

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"PEACHES" LOST
SUIT AGAINST
RICH HUSBAND

Her \$300 Weekly Alimony Stops With Court Ruling

New York, Mar. 22—(AP)—Midnight having struck in the Cinderella tale of "Peaches," the 16 year old bride of Edward W. Browning today was separated from the rich and splendid to which she had been accustomed. No longer must her wealthy husband pay her \$300 a week alimony. In fact he need not pay a cent.

The Cinderella of fiction retired to her chimney corner. Peaches went to bed where she sobbed her disappointment over losing her separation suit against the 52-year-old wealthy real estate operator. He won his suit for separation.

Automatically deprived by the decision of the \$300 a week alimony had been receiving since November, Peaches and her mother, Mrs. Catherine Heenan are without funds to pay for an appeal. Mrs. Browning's only claim to support is to return to her husband should he desire to take her back.

The decision found Browning tragically repentant. "I haven't a word to say," was his only comment when informed of the decision of the supreme court.

REGIONAL LIBRARY MEETING
WILL BE HELD IN DIXON ON
FIRST DAY OF COMING MONTH

A regional library conference will be held in this city Friday, April 1 to which thirty-nine libraries in this section of the state are expected to send representatives. The conference is for librarians and trustees. Sessions will be held during the day from nine in the morning until four in the afternoon.

The program which has been arranged indicates a wide sweep of subjects for the discussions. The opening topic, following roll call, will concern outstanding work of the year, and presentation of the present

TRANSPORT FULL
OF INFLUENZA-
STRICKEN MEN

Rushing to San Francisco: Hospital Facilities Crowded

Washington, Mar. 22—(AP)—With its hospital facilities crowded, the army transport Chateau-Thierry is speeding toward San Francisco bearing the bodies of four soldiers who have succumbed to disease and with 58 persons aboard suffering from influenza. In addition eleven cases of mumps have developed.

The Chateau-Thierry's passenger list contains the names of thirteen members of congress among the occupants of the first cabin. Six cases of influenza have occurred among the first class passengers, but whether any of the congressmen have been affected has not been reported to the war department. The others ill are members of the ship's crew and soldiers aboard.

The transport is en route from New York to San Francisco where it will arrive tomorrow night.

Mrs. Calvin A. Brown
Died Monday at 4:30

Mrs. Minnie Evelyn Brown, wife of Calvin A. Brown, of 1304 W. Fourth Street, died at her home at 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, death resulting from complications. Mrs. Brown was born in Oglesburg, Pa., April 30, 1868 and was 58 years of age at the time of her death. Funeral services will be held at the Preston chapel at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. B. H. Cleaver officiating and with burial in Pine Creek cemetery.

State to Ask Death
for Chicago Woman

Chicago, Mar. 22—(AP)—Hanging for a woman will be asked by the state in the trial of Mrs. Bertha Hellman, charged with the murder of her husband. Only once in a quarter of a century has a woman been convicted and sentenced to death in Chicago and in that case Mrs. Sabelle Nitt obtained a new trial and was acquitted.

Eight jurors had been selected in the trial of Mrs. Hellman today, in contrast to the usual long drawn sessions of jury selection in murder trials.

Suit Started to Break
Will of Rich DeKalb

Counsel representing some 40 disinherited heirs to the fortune of the late Jacob Halsh of DeKalb, Ill., has filed suit at Chicago to break the will of Halsh, who died in 1914, claiming that Halsh was not competent to make a will at his death at the age of 94 Halsh left a fortune estimated at \$500,000 made out of the fencing he invented.

WEATHER

THE BEST ADVICE
IS, DON'T GIVE
TOO MUCH OF IT
AWAY.

TUESDAY, MARCH 22, 1927
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois: Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by showers tonight or Wednesday; warmer tonight; colder in west portion Wednesday.

Chicago and Vicinity: Increasing cloudiness followed by showers late tonight or Wednesday; warmer tonight; with lowest temperature above freezing fresh southerly winds tonight; shifting to northwest Wednesday.

Wisconsin: Unsettled with probably snow or rain in east portion tonight and Wednesday in west portion.

Iowa: Mostly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; probably rain or snow in east and central portions tonight; warmer in extreme northwest portion tonight; colder Wednesday.

TODAY
Vera Cruz, embarrased March 22, 1847

Boydton Presides at
National Convention
(Telegraph Special Service)
St. Louis, Mo., March 22—(AP)—Boydton of the Boydton-Richards Clothing Co., of Dixon, Ill., presided here today at an all-day conference held in connection with the National Convention of Retail Clothiers. Sessions were held morning and afternoon at which representatives of clothing stores throughout the country met and discussed their problems. Associated with Boydton were T. C. Smith of Bristol, Va., and George H. Herman of Newark, O., Smith being chairman of the committee.

Dixon Young Man Won
DeKalb Voice Contest
Wallace Carlson, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Carlson, was entered in the voice contest for high schools in this section of the state in DeKalb Saturday, by Miss Marian Lawson, teacher in music, and he won first place as baritone. He is to sing in the sectional contest to be held April 1st.

No New Candidates for
Township Offices Appear
Monday was the last day for filing petitions by candidates for township offices, the election of which will be held on April 6. Abram Ackert and David H. Spencer are candidates for supervisor in the place of Ira Junk, and Frank C. Sproul is unopposed for re-election as assistant supervisor.

Villa Grove Woman Shot
and Killed Aged Pastor
Mrs. Mary Thornton, 83, of Villa Grove, Ill., Saturday shot and killed the Rev. S. R. Reno, a retired minister who went to her house to solicit subscriptions for a Champaign paper. Mrs. Thornton was taken into custody and held in a hospital at Tuscola pending a hearing on her sanity.

RESTORATION
OF WIRES IS
PARTLY MADEDixon Seems to Have
Suffered Worse in
Sleet Storm

Progress in restoring line communication between Dixon and the outer world, disrupted by Saturday night sleet storm, was progressing slowly and under severe handicaps today. Linemen and equipment were working almost hourly and were undertaking the task of untangling the fallen wires, setting up poles and restoring temporary communication.

The Western Union telegraph company continued in working order throughout the day yesterday, with two lines in operation in the local office and another pair of wires held in reserve. The volume of business handled in the Dixon office was probably the largest in the history of the local station. The immense volume of work was brought about by the destruction of other line communication.

A. P. Wire Restored
The Associated Press service was restored to The Telegraph at 10 o'clock this morning with lines in operation between Dixon and Rockford and Dixon and Steadman. It was expected the normal service would be restored by Wednesday night. There were no wires east today. Between Sublette and Mendota the Illinois Central right of way was a mass of broken poles and twisted wires. In some instances the wires were snapped by the weight of the ice and it was expected that much of the lines would have to be reconstructed. Large numbers of men were at work yesterday, righting poles and repairing the service temporarily.

Country telephone service was still seriously hampered today as the task of reconstructing the lines and replacing the 250 broken poles was proceeding slowly. However, it was anticipated that some of the lines would be restored by late Wednesday.

N. F. Service Normal
The Illinois Northern Utilities company at noon today reported that service had been practically restored to a normal state. About 75 poles in this locality, which had gone down under the weight of the ice, had been reset and with few exceptions on low voltage lines, service was restored.

Related reports of the storm received here today indicated that Dixon and vicinity suffered worse than most of the communities in its path.

SIXTEEN TAKEN
IN RAIDS ABOUT
CITY OF GALENA

Violations of Prohibition Law Charge
Against All
Sixteen prisoners were taken late Friday afternoon by deputies who conducted a series of prohibition raids in the Mississippi river district of Jo Daviess county. Eight arrests were made in Galena and eight along the Grant Highway between Galena and East Dubuque.

All the men were charged with violating the prohibition law and were held for grand jury investigation at Galena. All but four managed to obtain bonds for \$2000 each and were released pending the grand jury session.

The raids were directed by two prohibition investigators recently employed by District Attorney Campbell, following action of the county board of supervisors in voting an appropriation of \$500 to be spent in liquor investigations.

The detectives, Harry Baumgartner and Fred Kessman, of Wisconsin, spent several days making the rounds of "speakeasies" and road houses posing as patent mop salesmen.

Dementtown Boy Falls
Under Big Grain Truck
Louis Carlson, eight year old son of Peter Carlson, 1715 West Ninth street, was painfully injured in an accident at Seventh street and Depot avenue shortly before 1 o'clock this noon when, while on his way to school he jumped on the side of a double wagon of grain which was being hauled to the Public Supply company's elevator.

As the wagon turned off the street on the scales the boy jumped, but slipped and fell directly in front of the rear wheel, a weight of about 500 pounds passing over his abdomen. A physician was immediately summoned and the lad was given an examination, but did not appear to be suffering serious injury.

Good Fellow Pays for
Coal for Aged Woman
Good Fellows of Dixon do not confine their charitable acts solely to the Christmas season, as was plainly displayed this morning when a woman when, while on his way to school he jumped on the side of a double wagon of grain which was being hauled to the Public Supply company's elevator.

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BOTTOM GOES OUT OF MANY
ROADS IN OGLE, BOONE AND
DEKALB COUNTIES ON SUNDAY

The bottom went out of dozens of country highways over the week-end in Ogle, DeKalb and Boone counties, conditions were reported especially bad.

The graded highway between Leaf River and Mt. Morris was reported out, a half-mile strip at the extreme west end being pronounced impassable. The Mt. Morris-Polo road is also closed to motor traffic.

The Meridian highway, between Rockford and Rochelle has been impassable for cars and trucks for several days and farmers with horse-drawn vehicles were having difficulty in "making the grade."

No Immediate Relief
Road communication between Belvidere and Genoa is cut off while the east and west road between Genoa and Fairdale is also closed.

The Leaf River-Perreton road in Ogle county, another stretch that all ways has been one of the last to give way was pronounced as in "a deplorable condition."

Highway officials see little possibility of immediate relief.

SLAYER OF TWO
CHILDREN HEARS
WIFE GIVE AID

Chicago, March 22—(AP)—In his cell at the county jail in Crown Point, Ind., Walter Scholl, confessed slayer of his two small children last night, held his wife, Margaret, in his arms and heard her renew a pledge of love that will follow him to the end.

Mrs. Scholl went from Chicago purposely to renew her pledge to him after Walter had threatened a hunger strike when told that she had renounced him and intended to marry another man just as soon as he paid the penalty for his crime.

While kneeling in prayer, the couple vowed allegiance and Scholl's wife reiterated her promise to walk to the electric chair with him, if the death penalty is imposed.

Scholl, who was estranged from his wife at the time he killed his children at Gary, Ind., with an anesthetic, confessed the slaying and said he intended to kill himself because he could not live without her. His nerve failed him, however, but to atone for his crime his wife advised him to plead guilty and take the death penalty, which he says he intends to do.

Proposal for Lee
The fourteenth circuit, which now comprises Rock Island, Mercer, Henry and Whiteside counties, under the Telford bill would become the Seventeenth district, comprising Rock Island, Mercer and Henry counties. Whiteside county would be included in a new eighteenth circuit along with the Davies, Stephenson, Carroll and Lee.

If the bill is approved by this legislature, practically every judicial circuit in the state will be cut up and rearranged, particularly those in the extreme southern part of the state, and a few of the northernmost circuits.

Bill in Committee
The senate committee on reorganization, and observers believe that a sub-committee will be appointed to consider the bill before it is reported out. Whether or not the upper house will act favorably on the Telford bill is not known, but there are several objections to a judicial redistricting at this time, one of the chief ones being that the topic might reopen the senatorial reapportionment fight and thus hold up the progress of the legislative machinery for the remainder of this session.

GANG TRIED TO
BURN HOME OF
BIRGER CHIEF

Frightened Away by
Shots from Owner
at Early Hour
Larrsburg, Ill., Mar. 22—(AP)—Five men attempted early today to burn the home here of Charles Birger, gang leader, but were forced to retreat when met by revolver and machine gun fire. About thirty shots were exchanged, but no one was wounded. Birger said the men were from Franklin County and were known to him.

Birger was in the house with his wife, two daughters and two friends about 4 a. m., when five men drove up in an automobile, and stopped a half block away. Four of them, Birger said, were armed with machine guns and a fifth escaped wounded.

Earlier today a new roadhouse south of West Frankfort in Franklin County was burned to the ground. Residents of the vicinity heard shots fired from the roadhouse. The owner of the roadhouse is not known to police officers.

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Sheriff Waits
Word from Chief
Deputy; Missing

Crippled telephone service led to some uneasiness in the office of Sheriff Ward Miller today. Early this morning the police were notified that two suspicious looking men in two new Ford cars were stuck in the mud near the Illinois Central overhead crossing south of the city on the Peoria road. The call was turned over to the sheriff's office and Chief Deputy Fred Richardson responded at once. At noon no word had been received from the officer.

Sheriff Miller started an investigation and learned that the chief deputy was following the two suspicious cars with another officer. The drivers of the cars were pulled out of the mud were advised to return to Dixon and take the state highway, but replied that they wanted to reach Princeton, and preferred the dirt road to the paving.

The driver of the first car was standing partly on the running board and clinging with one hand when the officers approached. They are believed to be following the suspicious cars into Princeton.

Alleged Leader Taken
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Mississippi River is
Threatening New Railway
Winona, Minn., March 22—(AP)—A battle against the flood waters of the Mississippi river along a mile and a half railroad embankment of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad near Trempealeau, Wis., several miles below this city, is being waged today by a crew of 150 men.

The rising water has threatened to carry away the unprotected new double track of the Burlington road built there last autumn.

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SOCIETY NEWS

Tuesday
Camp Fire Girls—K. C. Club home.
Phidian Art Club—Mrs. E. B. Raymond, 421 N. Dement Avenue.
W. O. L.—Moose Hall.

Wednesday
Palmyra Mutual Aid Society—Sugar Grove Church.
South Dixon Community Club—Mrs. Charles Breisch, Dutch Road.
W. R. C. St. Patrick's Day Party—G. A. A. Hall.
Ladies' Aid Society—Christian Church.

Thursday
Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. R. A. Rodesch, 121 East Boyd St.
W. C. O. F. Installation—K. C. Home.
Women's Bible Class—Mrs. B. F. Schildberg, E. Everett St.
Cly Alty Club—Mrs. Will Slothower, 422 Third St.

OLD MASTERS

Tiger! Tiger! burning bright,
In the forests of the night,
What immortal hand or eye
Could frame that fearful symmetry?

In what distant deeps or skies
Burnt the fire of thine eyes?
On what wings dare he aspire?
What the hand dare seize the fire?

And what shoulder, and what art,
Could twist the sinews of thy heart?
And when thy heart began to beat,
What dread hand, and what dread feet?

What the hammer? What the chain?
In what furnace was thy brain?
What the anvil? What dread grasp
Dare its deadly terrors clasp?

When the stars threw down their spears,
And watered heaven with their tears,
Did He smile His work to see?
Did He who made the Lamb, make thee?

—William Blake: "The Tiger."

Women's Class at "Y" Enjoy Meetings

A real evening of fun was enjoyed by a large class of women of the "Y." The class was full of pep and speaking of Spring. There was real Spring in all their activities. A game known as "Squirrel in a Tree" kept those women running from one end of the gym to the other. Such a game is a new experience to some but they proved to have within them the instinct to run and jump like the rest.

After class a dive into the pool, which had the temperature of southern waters, was enjoyed. The women who were a bit nervous or lacked confidence in themselves, are in all depths of the water now.

The Campfire Girls of Mount Morris, numbering twenty-one, surely know how to have a good time. Swimming instructor, Mr. Yohn, said the local girls have no idea of the fun that they are missing. An invitation is always open for any who may wish to enter for this activity.

The high school girls are right at home on apparatus. They are watching their posture, too, perhaps they have learned one of the ways of acquiring real beauty.

A few weeks ago the girls enjoyed a hike. They are ready for another one which will be announced in this column.

There is much excitement about going to camp. Posters are being saved, and pennies are being saved. It is not too early to begin to prepare for Girls' "Y" Camp.

FASCIST WOMEN IN WELFARE WORK

Rome—Even the regime of Fascism is affected by the American talent for social reform. An Italian woman, Princess Cristina Giustiniani Bandini, receiving praise from Premier Mussolini and the Pope for her work in behalf of the helpless women of Italy acknowledged that her education in this field was acquired while she was a member of the League of Nations committee to investigate the white slave evil.

This committee was suggested to the League by Miss Grace Abbott United States department of commerce and is supported by the American Bureau of Social Hygiene.

MOLINE COUPLE MARRIED IN MORRISON SATURDAY

Milo Allison of South Moline, Ill., and Miss Mamie Enderton of Moline, were married in Morrison Saturday afternoon by Police Magistrate W. S. Groff. They were accompanied by the bride's mother.

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Marcel M. Scott and Thomas Edgar, both of Clinton, were united in marriage in Morrison at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

PERMANENT WAVE

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Menus for the Family

BREAKFAST—Stewed prunes, cereal, cream, eggs poached in milk on toast, crisp whole wheat toast, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Vegetable chowder, toast sticks, salmon salad sandwiches, oatmeal cookies, hot lemonade.

DINNER—Baked lamb loaf, creamed new carrots, tomato jelly salad, cream cheese pie, graham rolls, milk, coffee.

Since the vegetable chowder is made with milk, lemonade is suggested for the luncheon beverage. The very novelty of drinking hot lemonade for luncheon will make the drink welcome, while the drink itself affords an ideal way to give one's family valuable vitamins and the needed "spring tonic."

Cream Cheese Pie.
Three eggs, 1 tablespoon flour, 2-3 cup sugar, 1 cup cottage cheese, 1/2 cup cream, 1/2 cup blanched and chopped almonds, 1 tablespoon butter, 1/2 cup currants, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1/2 grains nutmeg, plain pastry.

Rub cheese, which should be very dry, through a colander. Combine with salt, nuts, currants, cream and melted butter. Beat yolks of eggs until thick and lemon colored and beat in flour and sugar mixed and sifted. Add first mixture and mix thoroughly. Fold in whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry. Pour into a pie dish lined with plain pastry and bake in a moderate oven for fifty minutes. The oven should be hot when pie is first put in and the heat reduced after ten minutes.

When beating the egg whites, brush the pastry in the pie dish with a little of slightly beaten whites. This will prevent the crust from becoming soggy.

Two Weddings at M.E. Parsonage on Saturday

Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the parsonage home of the Methodist church, the pastor, Rev. A. W. Carlson, united in marriage Louis F. Nagle, of Sandusky, O., engineer at the Sandusky cement plant in Dixon where he is at present employed, and Miss Audrey B. Gardner, also of Sandusky, O. The young couple were unattended. They will make their home in Dixon for the next six or eight weeks, until Mr. Nagle's work is completed here. They will receive the best wishes of their friends.

IS A GUEST AT THE PHIL MILLER HOME

Mrs. Stanley Locke, formerly Miss Marian Miller, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Miller of North Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. Locke have been living at New Orleans, where Mr. Locke was engaged in work in the Forestry reserve. He is now being transferred to Milwaukee and Mrs. Locke is spending a few days here.

HAS BEEN GUEST OF MISS CAROL BADGER

Miss Evelyn Robinson of Chicago has been the guest of Miss Carol Badger at the home of the latter's grandfather, Warren H. Badger, of Peoria avenue. The girls are classmates at the Frances Shimer School for Girls at Mt. Carroll.

Better Mornings

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Breakfasts
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Quaker Oats Urged Widely by Authorities

FOREMOST educators, editors as well as leading business institutions like General Electric Company, now are widely urging breakfasts that "stand by" as an important aid to success.

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In most American schools, including Princeton, Yale, most State Universities and some 2,000 grade schools throughout the country, 80% of the important classes are held before luncheon.

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Surprise on Sixteenth Wedding Anniversary

The J. D. Brantner home was the scene of a happy gathering Sunday, when relatives to the number of twenty-five entered their home unannounced, completely surprising them, and also to remind the couple of their sixteenth wedding anniversary, which occurs today.

A picnic dinner was served. During the social chat of the afternoon C. W. Stauffer in an appropriate speech presented the host and hostess an electric table lamp, the gift of the guests. Later in the afternoon ice cream and cake were served. A happy day was spent by everyone, and all wished that the esteemed couple experience many such happy anniversaries.

Those present to enjoy the Brantner hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stauffer, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stauffer and family, Miss Catherine Emmert, Mr. and Mrs. W. Floyd Stauffer and daughters Gladys, Frances and Kathryn of Polo; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stauffer, daughters Lucile and Dorothy, and son Donald, and Mrs. Molly Brenner of Dixon.

Intensive Training In Electrical Equipment

Miss Edna J. Decker and Miss Helen Winger of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company have returned from Ames, Ia., where they attended a short course of intensive training in Electrical Household Equipment. The Home Economics Division and the Iowa State College, in co-operation with the Women's Committee of the National Electric Light Association, were responsible for the course, and it proved to be a valuable offering to the utility women who attended. The purpose of the course was to give technical and non-technical information which would be useful to the women interested in the electrical industry in their public relations work, publicity and advertising activities, and in their presentation of household equipment. Special consideration was given to the problems of homemaking as they throw light on the introduction of electrical equipment in the home. The instruction was in charge of Eloise Davison, Associate Professor of Home Economics, and Frank D. Payne, Professor of Electrical Engineering, the general staff of Iowa State College assisting.

W. H. M. S. in Regular Meeting on Thursday

(Contributed)
The Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Covert, with fifty in attendance.

The meeting opened with a hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name." The devotions were led by Mrs. Willford. Mrs. Thomson led in prayer. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Clea Bunnell gave the sixth chapter of the study book, "On Templed Hills." Mrs. George sang beautifully Hosanna, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Morrill. Mrs. Anderson conducted the enigmata.

The meeting closed with prayer by Rev. Carlson. Refreshments were served.

Regular Meeting of Ladies G. A. R. Circle

The ladies of the G. A. R. Circle held their regular meeting in G. A. R. hall Monday evening. The regular opening of the meeting followed the call to order. Secretary's and treasurer's reports were accepted as read. A number of the officers were absent on account of sickness. Applications of two new members were accepted.

The committee report on the St. Patrick's Day tea was given by Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Corabelle George. Mrs. George especially commented on the splendid addresses given by Rev. Cleaver of the Christian church. The musical numbers were given by the Misses LeFevre and Florence Onnen, each responding with an encore. Miss Dorothy McWethy gave a splendid reading.

The decorations were in keeping with the day and a splendid lunch completed the happy afternoon.

Mrs. Sadie Onnen gave a short report on her visit to her old home at Normal, Ill. She stated there are 500 children of veterans at this time and instead of the children being required to wear a uniform, as has been the custom a few years ago, they are clothed as our school children in our own city. 29 of these children are in high school.

The Circle decided to send a collection of silk and wool pieces to the Old Ladies' Home at Maywood and will be glad for the donations of some from anyone caring to assist in this work. Leave the donations with the president, Ruth Smith, 216 Hennepin avenue.

Second Annual Elks Ladies' Night

The second annual Elks ladies night will be celebrated at the club house Thursday evening with a performance, which from all reports will excel anything previously attempted. The ladies have been drilling for the past two weeks in preparation for the entertainment which will be given exclusively for Elks and their ladies. The entertainment committee has mailed out to the membership, admission cards which are not transferable.

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Soloists—Mrs. Wilson Dysart, Mrs. Lester Wilhelm, Ora Floto, Mrs. Willard Thompson, Mrs. Phil Raymond.

Specialties—Miss Frances Campbell and class of six girls, Miss Lucille Kelly and class of six girls.


MARRIED IN CLINTON SATURDAY MORNING

Miss Evelyn E. McBride of Sterling and Charles E. Dunn of Rock Falls were united in marriage at M. E. parsonage in Clinton Saturday morning, Rev. J. K. Hawkins officiating.

CLY ALTY CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The members of the Cly Alty club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Will Slothower, 422 Third street.

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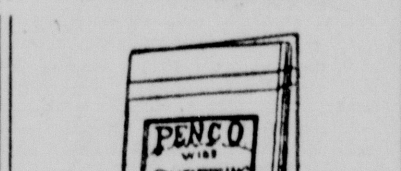
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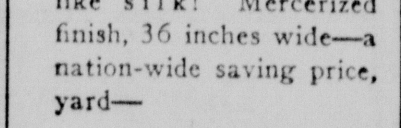
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Various Styles for Every Spring Occasion

Tailored one and two-piece dresses, ruffled, tiered and pleated skirts—new square and V necklines with bow trimming. See them soon!

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Sizes for Women, Misses, Junior Misses

Being Prepared Should "Times Turn Bad"

The American Bankers' Association, while expressing the opinion that installment sales had a proper place in the economic structure, in a recent report declared that "people should not be encouraged to buy on deferred payments beyond their reasonable ability to pay under conditions less favorable than those that have prevailed recently."

In other words, people should buy on installments as cautiously as if times might turn bad.

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WAR; STILL THE SAME.

The next war, like all that preceded it, will be won by the common, ordinary enlisted man and not by machines.

This statement was made recently by Howard P. Savage, national commander of the American Legion. It is in line with similar remarks by high officials in the War Department, who declare that while the tank, airplane and machine gun are important, the infantryman and his bayonet still are irreplaceable.

Probably most of us, hearing this, will say, "Very interesting," and think no more of it. Yet it's worth considering a bit.

Wars still will be won by infantrymen. That means that in the next conflict, as heretofore, a million or more men dressed in one kind of uniform will be put face with an equal number of men in another kind of uniform, and that these opposing forces will thereupon, for a greater or lesser period, undergo unimaginable pain and hardship and suffering and weariness until one group or the other has had all it can stand.

It means that the next war largely will be duplicate of the last one—with the possible exception that more non-combatants, including little babies, women and the like, will be killed. It means, in short, that war is always to be what it always has been—hell on earth.

We will do well if we insist, in season and out of season, that war is not something to be entered upon, or even discussed, lightly. Unless the end is very lofty it is not worth the price.

For war—as Savage reminds us—is still to mean the wholesale killing of our best young men.

GOING A-COURTING.

Your blade of the gay nineties used to pay court to his lady. Nowadays he pays the court costs and alimony. . . . Alimony is derived from the pygmy, meaning "all the money" you can get. . . . A Michigan man was too jealous to let his wife go out for groceries, she charged. Every time she brought home a cucumber he saw green. . . . A Chicago man committed suicide because his wife wouldn't believe him. But no general mobilization of the marines to stop a national wave of this sort is expected at this writing. . . . The Chicago judge who has heard 22,000 divorces ought to conduct a column of boxing gossip for the Congressional Record. . . . In some parts of Africa a man has to kill five jaguars to marry two wives. . . . What's that for—practice?

A KING WITHOUT SUBJECTS.

England's Duke of York, now on a voyage around the world, has granted an audience to the "greatest" monarch on earth—King Tami Solomon of the Chatham Islands, off New Zealand. King Solomon weighs 392 pounds.

Here, we submit, is a real figure of a king—a man with a physique and bearing that the common man can reverence.

But alas! his kingship is only a shadow. He has almost no subjects at all. His people have been practically wiped out by hostile tribes. He is not only the first man in his realm; he is almost the only one.

Such is the irony of life.

YOU CAN READ IT TWO WAYS.

In writing things for publication, always be very, very careful of your phraseology and punctuation.

Here is a paragraph from an editorial in "Moral Welfare," official publication of the Presbyterian Department of Moral Welfare, outlining that church's stand on preparedness and war:

"We are opposed to spending vast sums in building numerous battlefields which will be out of date and discarded very soon and so is President Coolidge."

Somehow, we have a notion the editorial writer didn't mean that in quite the way it sounds. At first glance, you'd almost think some very ardent Democrat had written it.

POSSIBILITIES IN CHINA.

Robert Dollar, famous Pacific shipping magnate, foresees big things in China.

Writing in Forbes' Magazine, Mr. Dollar declares that when the warring factions in China have made peace "the greatest development in the world's trade is going to be in China."

This sounds reasonable. China has unlimited natural resources and a tremendous population. For many many years she should provide a market of the first magnitude.

It is to our interest to see peace and order restored over there. It is also to our interest to retain the good will of the Chinese.

A bill to allow all kinds of swearing has been brought before the British Parliament. They're taking their golf more seriously over there since the American victories of last year, 'tis said.

As the famous governor would say about April 1: "It's a long time between backfires."

THE ANIMATES

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNICK



READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE

The Tines like Jack Horner fine. He asked them all to stop and dine, and shortly there was quite a feast enjoyed by all the bunch. They ate and ate and ate and ate, and Scouty said, "This sure is great. We're mighty glad we stopped in here, and thank you for the lunch."

"Oh, that's all right," Jack replied, "I like to have folk by my side. In fact I never eat much when I'm eating by myself." And now the dandy meal was through. Said Clowny, "Tell you what we'll do, we'll help you clear the table and put things back on the shelf."

So everybody rushed about and carried all the dishes out. 'Twas fun to help Jack Horner 'cause he'd been so very kind. Said Goppy, when the work was done, "Well, we had best be on the run. We're going to travel down the road and see what we can find."

They waved good-bye and started

out and shortly all heard Clowny shout, "What is that funny noise I hear? It sounds just like a cry." Then louder came the squeaky sound and all the Tines looked around, but couldn't find a blessed thing, no matter how they'd try.

Then Goppy's wee voice filled the air, "I see three kittens over there. Let's go and meet them. Maybe they are friendly as can be." The bunch rushed over where they were. At first the kittens raised their fur, but soon it settled down again right where it ought to be.

Small tears dropped from each kitten's head. "Why, you've been crying," Scouty said. "Please tell us what the trouble is. Perhaps we'll help you out." And then one kitten softly sighed, "We've lost our mittens, so we cried." And promptly every Tynite was looking all about.

(The Tynites find King Cole's palace in the next story.)

SAINT and SINNER

Bob Hathaway had been on the witness stand an hour before Banning permitted him to finish his story of the finding of the body of his uncle, Ralph Cluny, his notifying the police, his hurried trip to the church to inform the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Ashburn, and Faith, of the death of the bridegroom.

"That is all, Mr. Hathaway. Oh, pardon me, just a minute," Mr. Churchill, Banning spoke suavely to the defense attorney who had sprung from his seat to cross examine Bob.

"Mr. Hathaway, do you remember the events of Sunday, September 26 last?"

"Bob frowned, looked puzzled, then shook his head slightly.

"Then let me refresh your memory, Mr. Hathaway," Banning spoke gently. "Were you in Darrow—the city of Darrow, Chelton County—on that date, in company with Miss Faith Lane, who is now your fiancée, and with this defendant, who was at that time your fiancée?"

"Objection!" Churchill thundered.

After the customary session of wrangling and arguments on both sides, Judge Grimshaw overruled the objection and Bob was forced to answer.

"I was in Darrow on a Sunday in September, in company with Miss Faith Lane and her sister, who is now Mrs. Wiley. I do not remember the exact date."

"Ah!" Banning expelled the syllable with quiet satisfaction. "Now, Mr. Hathaway, you admit, do you not, that Mrs. Wiley, then Miss Cherry Lane, was your fiancée at that time?"

"She was," Bob answered in a low but distinct voice, his face going quite white as he remembered the events of that dreadful day, when he and Faith had hastened to Darrow to rescue Cherry from her rash elopement with Albert Ettleson."

Your witness, Mr. Churchill."

Churchill advanced his heavy, imposing body slowly to the witness chair, to rest one hand familiarly on the arm of it. "Mr. Hathaway, the

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Better than a mustard plaster

Miss Faith had been in Darrow?" Churchill prompted.

"Yes, after our return from Darrow, to the Lane home. I announced our engagement to Mr. Lane, and Cherry said that she would not marry me." Bob's voice was steady, but his cheeks were flaming.

After a few apparently irrelevant questions, Churchill indicated that he was through with Bob as a witness for the state, and Banning immediately sprung another question upon him.

"Mr. Hathaway, did you escort this defendant to a dance at the Marlboro Country Club on the evening of Saturday, October 27?"

TOMORROW: Dr. Paxton fixes approximately the minute at which Ralph Cluny died.

OREGON NEWS

Oregon—Herbert Hopkins of La Grande, Oregon, accompanied by his sister, Miss Heister, visited in Aurora Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. Bachofen and children of Amboy stopped in Oregon Saturday enroute to Rockford. Mrs. George Schneider and daughter Dorothy accompanied them to Rockford for the day.

Sam Reno returned to his home at Pittsburgh, Pa., Saturday after a visit of two weeks in the Robert Murdoch home.

Charles Myers returned Sunday afternoon from a business trip made to Molina and Dayton.

Earl Allen of east of Oregon was taken to Freeport Saturday to enter the hospital. Mr. Allen has been suffering with inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Ruth Dick spent the week end at her home in Polo.

A surprise party was given for Mr. and Mrs. James Glendenning Friday night at their new home east of Oregon.

Oregon public schools and community high schools closed Wednesday, March 23 and do not begin school until the following Tuesday, March 29. Truman Crowell of Chicago spent the week end in the home of his brother, Donald Crowell. Mr. and Mrs. Allen of east of Oregon was taken to Freeport Saturday to enter the hospital. Mr. Allen has been suffering with inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Mildred Rowland and Miss Ellen Lever spent Saturday in Rockford.

Z. A. Landers is spending the week in Springfield and Herrin, Ill.

Miss Heister Hopkins daughter of the late George Hopkins, deceased, of La Grande, Oregon, left Monday for Chicago to enter a girls school to complete her years schooling. She had been attending a girls school in the west before the death of her father a few weeks ago.

Mrs. May Mayall left Saturday night for Murfreesboro, Tenn., to join her husband who is fieldman there for the Carnation Milk Products Co.

Clifford Deyo of Chicago spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Fred Deyo, of this city. His sister, Wilma Deyo accompanied him back to Chicago to spend the week.

Mrs. Ernest Etnyre and children went to Chicago, Saturday to spend ten days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson of Malta were week end visitors in the

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY AHERNS



Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warneka home on South Fifth street.

Mrs. Sam Good visited her little granddaughter at the St. Francis hospital in Freeport Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Landers entertained a Cinch Club at her home on South Fourth street Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider were Rockford visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Spoor spent a few days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spoor.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Hess have purchased the George Panning property on West Washington street the past week. Mr. Panning expects to move his family to Rockford in the near future.

Mrs. Sam Good and her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Kendall attended the Utopian Circle at the home of Mrs. Nellie Pool in Polo Saturday.

PIRATE FISHERMEN

Mexico City—Small-boat shipping in the Gulf of California is demoralized by the activities of four pirate bands. Run-runners, filibusters and outlaws compose the crews who dodge about the obscure anchorages and prey on commercial vessels.

Kingdom Knots

Kingdom—Harvey Stevens who recently had one of his big toes amputated on account of infection from a frost bite, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Ivan Floto who submitted to an operation at the Dixon hospital recently, is at home, and getting along as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Smith and children of Franklin Grove were Sunday visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gates.

William Floto who is under the doctors care is feeling better. Mrs. Cooper of Dixon is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Floto.

John Bachman received the sad news of the death of his nephew, Guy Brubaker, son of Mrs. Lucy Bachman Brubaker of Phoenix, Ariz., in an auto accident at Lauderdale, Fla., last month. Mr. Brubaker was a young man in his early thirties and was superintendent of the senior and junior high schools of the county.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

In the multitude of counsellors there is safety.—Proverbs 11:14.

He who was taught only by himself had a fool for a master.—Ben Johnson.

SURE SIGN

FIRST KNUT: How do you know that's a telephone girl over there? SECOND KNUT: I said "Hello" and she didn't answer.—Answers, London.

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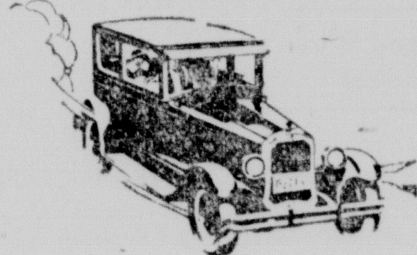
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LAZY STORK IS SLOWING GROWTH OF ILLINOIS REPORT OF STATE'S DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH INDICATES

More Deaths Than Births in State for Last Year: Same Ratio Shown in Figures Given for Lee County

Springfield, March 22—Births outnumbered deaths by 48,827 in Illinois last year with 1,281 fewer births and 3,734 more deaths recorded than were reported in 1925, according to official statistics released here today by Dr. Isaac D. Rawlings, State health director. These figures show a net gain in population from this source of slightly more than one-half of one per cent and a rise of about one per square mile in density of population. The birth rate per 1000 people is one of the lowest on record but the death rate, although higher than for 1925, is still well beneath the average for the decade ending with 1920.

"Downstate births reported in 1926 fell off from the 1925 figure by 1,842 while in Chicago they increased by 161, making a net loss of 1,281 for the State," said Dr. Rawlings. "The better showing in Chicago probably resulted from improvement in completeness of reports rather than from greater metropolitan fecundity."

"Deaths jumped from 81,598 in 1925 to 85,329 in 1926, an unfavorable difference of 3,731. The increased mortality in Chicago amounted to 2,428, 306 and that for downstate, 2,187, giving the chief city a lower death rate than the remainder of the State for the fifth consecutive year."

"Out of the 102 counties, 70 reported actual declines in the number of births. The most severe losses were

In Hardin, Schuyler and Brown counties where the births recorded fell off 29, 25 and 24 percent respectively. All told 27 counties registered declines of more than 10 per cent in the actual number of births that occurred. Increases of 19 per cent or more were reported from Pope, Edwards, Scott and Calhoun, the former registering a gain of 23 per cent, the largest in the State.

"In 24 counties the number of deaths were over 10 per cent greater than in 1925. Leading these were Warren, with a rise of 26 per cent, Kendall with 25, Edwards 22, Winnebago 21 and Christian 18 per cent.

Again it may be observed that the heaviest increases were in the rural areas where public health service is least adequately developed.

"The 1926 increase in population from births thickened the density by nearly 1 per square mile bringing the total up to about 132 per square mile compared with about 115 in 1920. This still leaves plenty of room for Illinois compared with European countries where population ranges from 700 per square mile in England to 184 in France.

The sharp declines in the birth rate in Illinois of recent years emphasize the need for more extensive public health service in order that a larger percentage of the new generation may be spared for healthy future citizenship.

BIRTHS IN ILLINOIS

1926	1925	1926	1925
No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*
Adams 1072 16.4	1219 19.5	Hardin 113 14.3	165 21.2
Alexander 486 19.6	440 17.8	Henderson 142 14.5	161 16.3
Band 283 16.5	283 17.9	Henry 747 15.7	777 16.4
Boone 265 17.3	213 16.5	Jersey 631 18.1	645 18.5
Brown 106 11.4	150 15.7	Johnson 830 21.6	804 21.1
Bureau 655 15.4	742 17.4	Kane 283 17.6	297 18.3
Calhoun 165 20.	155 18.8	Kankakee 635 22.3	729 25.5
Carroll 298 14.8	333 16.6	Kendall 309 14.	352 16.
Cass 316 17.4	374 20.5	Jersey 220 17.3	239 18.7
Champaign 1167 19.4	1372 21.3	Jo Daviess 309 14.	352 16.
Clark 840 20.5	818 20.	Johnson 242 20.1	241 20.
Clay 307 17.4	380 21.4	Kane 806 18.1	901 19.8
Coles 524 22.8	505 21.9	Kankakee 2246 21.4	2170 20.8
Cook 800 22.5	831 23.4	Kendall 810 10.9	128 12.7
Crawford 6927 19.8	6871 20.	LaSalle 7721 18.2	1830 19.2
Cumberland 217 16.9	244 18.9	Lake 1476 16.9	1635 18.
DeKalb 698 19.	636 20.3	Lawrence 509 23.8	516 24.
DeWitt 340 17.4	399 20.6		
Douglas 405 20.6	390 19.9		
Edwards 1023 21.4	947 20.6		
Effingham 146 15.5	134 14.1		
Franklin 437 16.9	526 19.6		
Gallatin 209 16.3	209 16.3		
Greene 395 17.	439 18.9		
Grundy 295 16.5	328 17.7		
Hamilton 270 16.9	267 16.5		
Hancock 387 13.6	440 15.3		

THE LIFE OF CHRIST

Jesus Pays His Taxes



Jesus, asked for his tribute money, or taxes, has Peter catch a fish in the mouth of which he finds money to pay. (Matthew XVII: 24-27)



The disciples dispute among themselves as to who shall be the greatest. (Matthew XVIII: 1-3; Mark IX: 33-50)



But Jesus took a little child and setting him in the midst said: "Except ye become as little children ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven." (Matthew XVIII: 3)



When a Samaritan village did not receive Jesus hospitably, James and John wished him to call down fire from heaven and consume the villagers, but Jesus said, "The Son of Man is not come to destroy men's lives, but to save them." (Luke IX: 52-57)

1926	1925	1926	1925
No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*
Montgomery 732 16.	779 17.3	Scott 162 17.	158 16.5
Morgan 635 18.8	638 19.	Shelby 483 16.3	540 18.1
Moultrie 256 17.	295 19.7	Stark 132 13.6	137 14.1
Ogle 490 14.9	482 17.9	Stephenson 736 19.2	754 19.7
Peoria 1926 16.1	2044 17.	Tazewell 79 18.5	802 19.4
Perry 473 20.2	538 22.9	Union 394 19.5	443 21.9
Platt 310 19.7	302 19.2	Vermilion 1821 19.9	1901 20.8
Pike 459 17.	523 18.7	Walsh 263 18.7	310 22.
Pope 150 15.6	130 13.2	Warren 413 19.2	437 20.3
Pulaski 318 21.7	365 24.9	Washington 305 16.9	359 19.8
Putnam 94 12.4	91 12.5	Wayne 404 17.7	447 19.8
Randolph 552 18.9	561 19.3	White 337 16.8	353 17.6
Rochester 310 22.	330 23.4	Whiteside 733 19.7	696 18.7
Rock Island 1411 13.2	1389 13.2	Will 1734 17.6	1830 18.7
St. Clair 2833 19.2	2884 19.8	Williamson 1275 17.8	1604 21.5
Saline 689 15.3	923 21.3	Winnebago 1973 18.	1906 17.9
Sangamon 1998 18.8	2141 20.8	Woodford 350 18.	373 19.3
Schuyler 189 14.2	261 19.6	STATE 134,156	18,610,554 19.3

CITIES

1926	1925	1926	1925
No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*
Quincy 757 19.3	804 20.5	Ottawa 305 25.8	283 25.1
Cairo 251 16.	224 14.4	Streator 415 27.5	409 26.5
Champaign 407 22.	412 22.6	Waukegan 465 20.9	416 18.9
Urbana 165 14.3	208 18.4	Lincoln 219 17.5	240 19.4
Mattoon 344 22.3	331 22.5	Bloomington 553 18.	603 19.8
Marion 330 16.8	308 16.3	Decatur 1275 23.2	1151 21.5
Blue Island 390 23.9	392 29.7	Alton 728 26.8	637 24.8
Chicago 60200 19.8	60155 20.	St. Louis 595 31.9	566 31.
Chi. Heights 384 16.9	410 18.5	Granite City 271 18.8	274 19.4
Cicero 522 17.9	608 9.8	Jacksonville 353 22.	355 22.3
Evanston 1724 38.2	1535 34.9	Peoria 1503 18.2	1532 18.6
Forest Park 71 5.2	97 7.4	Moline 662 19.2	644 19.
Maywood 159 10.8	158 11.1	Rock Island 410 10.	405 10.
Oak Park 2531 47.3	2282 44.4	Bellefonte 501 18.3	507 18.4
Canton 216 19.6	240 21.6	E. St. Louis 1471 20.3	1481 20.7
Kewanee 381 18.9	388 19.6	Springfield 1317 20.4	1422 22.8
Murphysboro 169 13.1	200 15.9	Freeport 485 23.2	493 23.8
Aurora 1091 23.8	1033 25.6	Pekin 281 20.6	321 24.
Elgin 619 18.2	636 19.3	Danville 870 23.1	843 22.8
Galesburg 645 21.8	876 22.2	Joliet 810 19.8	766 18.9
LaSalle 301 20.6	316 22.7	Herrin 276 20.1	258 19.4
		Rockford 1664 21.1	1600 21.

*Per 1000 estimated population.

DEATHS IN ILLINOIS

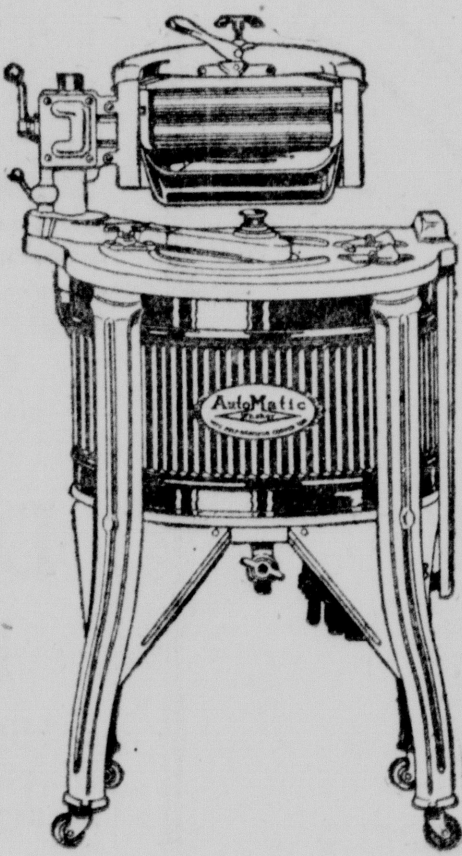
1926	1925	1926	1925
No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*	No. Rate*
Adams 924 14.1	911 14.7	Boone 208 13.5	186 12.1
Alexander 434 17.5	421 17.	Brown 110 11.8	102 10.5
Bond 153 9.5	142 8.9	Bureau 425 9.9	441 10.3

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SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

JOHNSON TO MISS OPENER; HOPES TO RESUME WORK SOON

Great Walter Will not be Able to Pitch Opening Game

BY BRIAN BELL
Tampa, Fla.—(AP)—There was a world of regret in Walter Johnson's voice when he said, "I guess I won't be able to pitch the opening game this year."
The big Washington pitcher, on the club for 20 years and one of the great figures of the game, was struck on the left leg by a batted ball in practice and suffered a broken bone above the ankle.
He looked ruefully at a plaster cast in which his leg was encased as he said: "I have pitched the first game of the season for Washington 15 or 16 times, but it seems too much to hope that I will be ready to start the ball rolling this year."
"The doctors say the cast will have to stay on there for three weeks and I suppose that will not leave me enough time to get in shape before the start."
"I was counting a great deal on getting away good, too, this year. My arm felt good and I was counting on a good season. I still am for that matter, but a good start would have helped a lot."
Although Johnson is starting his twenty-first year with Washington in the American league, he has not been hurt much.
"This should be a good season for us," he said. "If we get good pitching we will be serious contenders."
"I am not foolish enough to deceive myself into thinking my arm is as good as it was. It's not, couldn't be, for I have put quite a strain on it over the years. But I think I am good for two or three years yet. I might beat Cy Young's record at that."
Cy Young pitched 22 years in the major leagues.
"I have received a number of letters from 'kids' telling me they are sorry I am hurt," said Johnson. "I like that, of course. It's a real tribute when the youngsters are for you and I wouldn't trade my standing with the 'kids' all over the country for anything."
"It will not take me a great while to get ready to pitch when I can walk again. A lot of hunting this winter took care of that."

Interscholastic Will be Evanston's Card

Evanston, Ill., March 22—Application for entry blanks from high schools in every state of the middle west and a number of scattering schools as far east as the Atlantic seaboard have been received by those in charge of the Fifteenth National Northwestern Interscholastic to be held in Patten gymnasium here March 25-26. The meet which last year attracted 600 prep school athletes is expected to run well over the 1,000 mark this year.
Leading high schools from Illinois, Evanston, Ill., March 22—Sale of season ticket books for Northwestern university's football games next fall has already surpassed last year's record at that.

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Bits of News From Leaguers in Their Camps

The hitting of Hartnett and Webb has brought joy to the heart of Manager McCarthy of the Cubs. He admits his team looks good in their work on the Pacific Coast.

Displaying midseason form Schalk's White Sox trimmed Wichita Falls, Texas League team, 5 to 4, Monday.

Sherdell and Haines held the Washington Senators to four hits, which with three errors gave the American Leaguers four runs; but the World Champion Cardinals pounded out 12 hits and five runs in the teams' exhibition game at Avon Park, Fla.

At Plant City, Fla., the Columbus American Association overcame a six run lead and tied the Phillies 7 to 7.

The Yankees won a close and well played game from the Cincinnati Reds, 2 to 1, in the last inning at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Lefty Grove went the full route for the Athletics, holding Boston Nationals to six hits and three runs. The Athletics won 9 to 5.

St. Louis Browns took a hard game from Brooklyn Nationals at Tarpon Springs, Fla., 3 to 2 in twelve innings.

The Pirates bunched hits with errors at Princeton and beat the Missions 4 to 3.

Indiana, Minnesota, Iowa, Michigan, and Ohio have applied for entry blanks. Case Technical high of Detroit winner of first place in the track meet last year is expected back again to defend its championship. Wilmington high of Wilmington, Del., has also signified its intention of coming west to defend the swimming championship which it won last year. The Wilmington team also won the prize for coming the longest distance to the meet.

Season Tickets at Northwestern Going

Evanston, Ill., March 22—Sale of season ticket books for Northwestern university's football games next fall has already surpassed last year's record at that.

total and it is expected that over 20,000 of the ducaats will be sold this spring. Tickets were offered to the public two weeks ago and already nearly 8,000 have been purchased. The popular demand for the season booklets nearly eight months before the start of the season is an indication of the tremendous drawing power of the fall sport.

New Blackhawk H. S. Conference Formed

A new high school athletic conference to be known as the Blackhawk conference has been organized and a constitution and by-laws will be adopted at a meeting to be held in Polo on April 4. The purpose of the conference will be to sponsor basketball and track competition among the schools. Those enrolled in the conference are Mt. Carroll, Milledgeville, Byron, Oregon, Leaf River, Lanark and Polo. The conference will be limited to eight schools, the eighth member to be added later. The first event of the new conference will be a track and field meet to be held in Mt. Carroll some time in May.

SPORT BRIEFS

PLACID SKIRUNNER TRAINS YEAR 'ROUND
Lake Placid Club, N. Y.—Johan Satre, winner of this year's 25 mile ski race here, is already in training for next year's winter sports.

"An athlete can't train in a few weeks," he says. "He must keep in condition the year around."
Satre, who is barely five feet tall, although 30 years old, does it by abstaining from liquor and tobacco, working out of doors and going to bed at 10 p. m.

He won the 25 mile cross country race over a course that crosses the Sentinel Mountain range in 3 hours 19 minutes and 5 seconds.

PRIEST'S ONE CLUB BANISHES GOLF BAG
Chicago—A Catholic priest, tired of lugging a bag full of golf clubs around the golf course he laid out in his desert parish at Goldfield, Nev., has devised a club which serves as driver, brassie, midiron, mashie and putter.

He is Father Alphonsus Gavin, and

the club, with a face adjustable on a steel cog to six positions, makes its debut in goldform at the National show here the week of March 21 to 26.

AMERICA'S INJURY HITS OXFORD TEAM

Oxford, England—An injury to Caleb F. Gates, Rhodes scholar and last year's captain of the Princeton track team, has weakened Oxford's chances against its traditional rival, Cambridge.

Gates had been selected to represent Oxford in the annual clash of the two colleges. He was injured recently in a rugby match and probably will not take part in any more track events this season.

Gates won first place in the 100 yards dash and 120 yard hurdles at an intercollegiate meet as well as second place in the shot put.

FEW BIG LEAGUERS AMBIGUOUS NOW

Tampa, Fla.—"Turn around hitters" are becoming few and far between in the major leagues.

Only a scant half dozen of the well known players bat right handed against left handed pitchers and left handed against right handed pitchers. Frisch of the Cardinals and Bancroft of the Braves are still hitting from either side, as are Grantham of the Pirates and Hunnefeld of the White Sox.

Two Detroit first basemen, Blue and Neun, turn around at bat. Both are left handed throwers. Bressler of the Reds throws with his left hand but bats right handed.

REYNOLDS QUINT WON GAME FROM FREEPORT I. M. C. S.

Freeport Journal Standard—Friday night at Immanuel Lutheran Gym the I. M. C. basketball team lost a 1-point game to the Dixon Reynolds Wire Co. team of Dixon, the game ending 27 to 26 in favor of Dixon. The I. M. C. could not locate the basket in the first three quarters but in the last quarter finally found the hoop and scored 18 points; the Dixon boys had a lead too large to overcome in one quarter and the I. M. C. fell short 1 point. It was a thrilling game. E. Cook and P. Karz were the big boys for Dixon, the former scoring 8 field

goals and the latter 4 field goals and 1 free toss. For the losers, Wellman and Buck did the most scoring. Seidel's floor work and passing was good. Seigmeler and Kasch did the guarding and they done fine work holding their taller opponents scoreless in the last quarter.

Dixon deserved the victory because they are a good bunch of sports and we hope to meet them again next year.

In the preliminary game the girls Lyante team defeated their opponents by the score of 20 to 11. After the game, hot dogs and coffee were served to the basketball teams and Dixon fans. Lineup:

Dixon (27)	B F T P
Cook, f.	8 0 2
Karz, f.	4 1 1
Mercer, c.	0 0 1
Rhnehart, g.	0 0 0
Ilder, g.	1 0 0
Totals	13 1 4
I. M. C. (26)	B F T P
Buck, f.	6 0 1
Seidel, f.	0 1 0
Wellman, c.	4 1 0
Schmidt, g.	2 0 1
Seigmeler, g.	0 0 0
Kasch, g.	0 0 0
Totals	12 2 2

FINE FIGHT CARD IS ARRANGED FOR COLISEUM'S SHOW

Jim Mullen to Give His Patrons Real Bouts Saturday Night

Chicago, Ill., March 22—The biggest crowd in the history of boxing in Chicago will attend the bout between Bud Taylor and Tony Canzoneri, scheduled for this coming Saturday night at the Coliseum here.

Reservations continue to pour into the ticket office at Mullen's Gymnasium but in spite of the big advance sale, there are plenty of good seats still available and out-of-town requests for ducaats are receiving special consideration.

The battle this week for the world's bantamweight championship is going to be one of the hardest fought frays in the history of boxing. Both Taylor and Canzoneri are hitters, clever ring generals and great boxers. Each has plenty of what is

known as Heart and are game courageous fighters. They can make the bantam limit, 118 pounds, with ease and in their training work have shown themselves to be in perfect condition.

The supporting card is made up of bouts that would top the card anywhere in the country. Pete Sarmiento, Filipino star, meets Abe Attell Goldstein in the eight round semi-final. Johnny Vacca of Boston, who won the decision over Fidel La Barba, world's flyweight champion, at Boston recently and had La Barba on the floor four times, three times for the count of nine, will meet Archie Bell, Brooklyn sharp-shooter in another eight rounder.

Newsboy Brown, conqueror of Frankie Genaro and who fought a draw with La Barba, will meet Chico Sensational flyweight, Ernie Fetters, the Indian mite, in another eight. Tommy Grogan of Omaha will tackle Billy Kennedy of New Orleans and Earl Mastro of Chicago faces Sid Kelly of Milwaukee in the four round curtain-raiser.

Wolverines Claim They Have College Tank Ace

Ann Arbor, Mich.—The best swimmer yet developed in an American college is Paul Samson, six foot four—captain of Michigan's swimming team, in the opinion of Matt Mann, Wolverine tank coach.

Samson has made five marks this season which beat the accepted college records. He has done the 40 yard swim in 15.1 seconds, the 100 yards in 53.6, the 220 in 2:17.3, and the 440 in 5:55.8. He was the only double swimmer in the 1926 Big Ten meet, winning the 220 and 440 yards.

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SCARBORO NEWS

Scarboro—Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Thompson spent Saturday evening in Paw Paw. P. Brett and son were business callers in Rockford Saturday.

The dance held in Scarboro Thursday evening was well attended. Mervin Schoenholz, student of Rockford high school, was home over the week end.

C. R. White was in Paw Paw Saturday having dental work done. Miss Minnie Beemer, who teaches in Belvidere, was an over Sunday visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith entertained the following guests Sunday with dinner, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Durin, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wagner of Rockford.

Mrs. P. J. Schoenholz and Mrs. C. R. White motored to Rockford Friday and spent the day. Helen Wagner, student at Rockford high school, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Miller of

Shabbona were visiting Sunday at the home of Mrs. Miller's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pellenger. Eugene Hurd was in Rockford Saturday having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Byrd and Miss Nellita Byrd motored to Rockford Saturday and spent the day. Paul Capehart and G. Bear of Rockford were here Friday.

James Cave was an over Sunday visitor in Rockford. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willman spent Saturday in Paw Paw.

Neils Larson and family were shopping in Rockford Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. White were dinner guests Sunday at the Schoenholz home.

Miles Stevens and sister Mable Thompson were business visitors in Rockford Saturday.

Allister Proctor discovered and purchased for a small sum at Hereford, England, what is declared to be a unique copy of the first edition of Bacon's "Novum Organum" printed in London in 1620.

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Society News

ILLINOIS D. A. R. CONVENTION WILL MEET TOMORROW

The Opening Session Will Convene at Rock Island in A. M.

The state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held tomorrow, Thursday and Friday at Rock Island, at which Mrs. Frank J. Bowman of Sterling, state regent, will preside.

The opening session Wednesday will be largely given over to greetings from the local chapter and various officers including Mrs. John H. Hanley, vice-president general, and Rev. Cummings, president of the John Montgomery chapter, Sons of the Revolution. The announcement of committees and reports of state officers will follow the greetings. Mrs. Bowman will give her report as state regent Wednesday afternoon and there will be reports on Americanization and other state committee work.

An automobile ride late Wednesday afternoon will be followed by a tea given by the Fort Armstrong chapter of Rock Island at the home of Mrs. Frank W. Hansen, former state regent and former vice-president general, to meet Mrs. Bowman and other state officials and prominent visitors. Wednesday evening Mayor Walter A. Rosenfield of Rock Island will welcome the visitors and greetings will be extended by the commandant of the arsenal. The address of the evening will be by Atty. Oswald Ryan, on the subject, "Who Shall Inherit the United States?" Atty. Ryan was a member of Secretary Davis' immigration committee in Europe and he has delivered his lecture a number of times, on one occasion giving it twice the same evening to crowds that crowded the same hall for both lectures.

Election On Friday
Thursday's session will open with a round table conducted by Mrs. Julia G. Goodhue, state chairman of patriotic education, and reports of chairmen of state committees will be continued. Chapter regents will also make their reports and there will be a round table conducted by Mrs. John W. Riggs, state vice-regent. The afternoon will be taken up by a memorial service and by reports of convention committees and chapter regents. The national officers and reports of the resolutions committee will follow. Unfinished business will be disposed of at the Friday afternoon session.

A leaflet published by the president general, Mrs. Broseau, shows a remarkable number of accomplishments by the D. A. R. during the past year. There are 2,164 chapters in the United States, with 156,850 members, the membership increasing at the rate of 1000 a month. Illinois chapters have also done a big work and number 9,258 members.

During the year the national organization has distributed 181,004 manuals to immigrants at a cost of \$128,292, published in English and 14 foreign languages. These manuals are used by the Y. W. and Y. M. C. A., National Council of Jewish Women, boards of education, naturalization courts, banks, steamship lines, factories, public libraries and schools. Another manual, "A Study of the Constitution of the United States," has also been published and copyrighted by the D. A. R. It was prepared by Federal Judge Norton at the suggestion of the Illinois state chairman of patriotic instruction.

Large Sums Expended
The sum of \$800,000 has passed through the treasurer's office, of which \$56,989.95 was sent to 54 educational institutions to assist in their work. Ohio chapters laid the corner stone of a new girls dormitory at Oxford college and Massachusetts completed a fund of \$60,000 for a new girls dormitory at American International college. A fund of \$33,010 was loaned to deservicing students. Naturalization work, preparing foreign born people to become good citizens through night classes, helping naturalization courts and "wiping out illiteracy" cost \$117,818, including the distribution of many flags, copies of the constitution, American creeds, flag codes, the presentation of historical pageants, and countless bags and boxes of clothing sent to mountain schools. The Illinois chapters conducted essay contests on the constitution and took a party of essay prize winning boys and girls to Washington, D. C., including Lyle Dietler of Sterling.

Conservation and thrift work included the planting of 405,300 trees, listing of historical trees, co-operation with boy and girl scouts in bird house contest, protection of birds, study of wild life, gardens, prizes for collecting and destroying worm nests, and suggesting savings for school children.

Mark Historic Spots
The Philippine scholarship fund was given \$20,000, and \$153,661.78 was spent on preservation of historic spots and grave markers, 127 historic spots being marked, and 14 real daughters of the Revolution, whose fathers fought in the war for independence, received pensions of \$32.50 monthly. Two detention rooms for immigrants are supported on Ellis Island and all the chapters send materials and contribute money to keep the men and women occupied during their detention. The Angel Island also has one detention room under the society's jurisdiction.

The national D. A. R. has committed on better films, correct use of the flag, Sons and Daughters of the Republic, genealogical research, Girl Home Makers, historical and literary reciprocity, insignia, international relations, legislation, national old trails and roads, patriotic lectures, lantern slides and publicity. The society also publishes the D. A. R. magazine and is raising two million dollars to build Constitution hall in Washington, D. C.

START RADIO TEAS FOR CLUB WOMEN
Omaha, Neb.—Bridge and other forms of indoor recreating have a rival in radio since the sudden popularity here of the radio tea where guests do not play games, but instead listen in on programs broadcast by the Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. A. S. Harrington, drama chairman of the federation, inaugurated the custom. At first the clubs throughout the state met in the homes of members. Later the studio tea developed. Now club women who furnish the program numbers gather at the broadcasting studio and make a social event of appearing before the microphone.

BOOKWORMS AT SMITH EVEN DEVOUR COVERS
Northampton, Mass.—"Consider the bookworm" seems to be the slogan of many Smith College students who banish the notion that they can't bear the sight of one. Known as the Bookworms' Club, a group of undergraduates is devouring their interest in the outside of the volumes on their shelves as well as the intellectual content.

The club is addressed weekly by Miss Marian Dodd, manager of a local bookshop. Miss Dodd speaks on bindings, editions, type, purchasing from catalogues and from second hand bookshops, and on how to bind and how to care for libraries.

REDUCE ILLITERACY BEFORE NEXT CENSUS
Orlando, Fla.—Ignorance is not bliss and will be eradicated in the United States if the efforts of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to stamp out illiteracy before the next census is taken in 1930 are successful. There are 5,000,000 illiterate persons in the country, and Mrs. William E. Blackman of Orlando, is chairman of the federation's committee to teach these unlettered Americans to read and write.

Mrs. Blackman plans to enroll the backward men and women of one county in an educational course and gradually extend the work to cover the whole state. Other states adopting this program include Illinois, Kentucky, Kansas, Wisconsin, North Carolina and Maine.

WOMAN IS EXPERT ON MINING PROBLEM
Deliver, Col.—Most women are well acquainted with the coal cellars of their own homes and dislike the acquaintance. Mrs. Ada R. Tibbets, chief clerk of the state coal mine in Colorado, knows the depths and hazards of every coal mine in Colorado and enjoys the knowledge. Developers of new and abandoned projects seek her advice. After 20 years in the department, she is declared to be one of the best informed persons on mining in the entire west.

HAS PRIVATE RIVER FOR FISHING GUESTS
Limerick, Ireland—When the impulse to fish strikes Lady O'Lein Wyndham-Quinn, she turns to her own little river which flows through her Adare Manor estate and empties into the River Shannon. Adare Manor is in the country known as the last Irish stronghold of James II.

Lady O'Lein, the daughter of Lord and Lady Dunraven, is one of Great Britain's most enthusiastic sportswomen. It was due to her fondness for fishing that parties over the weekend, a feature of society life at the larger country estate in days past, have been revived. Guests come even from London for this sport.

WHOSE JOB?
Because his wife made him cook the breakfast cereal and give the baby his bottle, a Philadelphia judge awarded a divorce to one Ralph Staker. The question of whose job it is, if any, housework a husband should do is a real question today. It's because many wives work outside the home all day, and work as hard as the husbands do. It is rather natural for them to wonder why they, who pay their due share for the home's upkeep, should come home at night to dusting and cooking and dishwashing any more than should "he."

That's true okay, but so many wives forget that "he" too, has certain home duties which are just taken for granted as his alone—the furnace to be stoked, the cinders carried out, the screens to come off and on, the painting and hammering and planing to be done. After all, it balances fairly well with the domestic duties.

DURING CRISIS PARENTS SHOULD SHARE MORAL BURDENS
By Olive Roberts Barton
It is fair for one parent to take all the moral responsibility in regard to the physical and mental welfare of the children?

Sometimes, in a crisis, a decision has to be made. It may be a matter of an operation. It may be a matter of calling upon the child to make a sacrifice. It may be a matter of reproof or punishment or any of the thousand problems that come up in his training.

When I say moral responsibility, I mean just that. Moral responsibility is the ability that takes courage to back it. Often one parent is apt to dodge

THIS "FEMINISM"
Whether one, man or woman, does or does not agree with the ideas of feminism, none can fail to enjoy such lucid expression of the ideas of the modern woman as are in Leah Morton's splendid autobiography, "I Am a Woman—and a Jew." Boiled down like this—

"A man decides he wants a family, a wife, and he has them. But he never forgets, while he is father and husband, that he is, all the time, himself—and must live that own life of his in his career."

BE YE READY!
Some day a bright young man, or woman, mayhap, will approach you with a glittering look in his—or her—eye, and demand to know your three favorite books. Be ye ready! Everybody's doing it! It's spreading like chain letters. I wonder what mine are. When I was 12, "Tempest and Sunshine," by Mary J. Holmes came first. Today I might be induced to substitute "Les Misérables" or "Jean Christophe" or "World's Illusion" or "American

The WOMAN'S DAY

By Allene Sumner

No matter how they yowled, one president's wife simply would NOT expose her throat and arms at an inaugural ball. She was Mrs. Benjamin Harrison whose inaugural ball gown of pearl brocade with gold embroidery had point lace at the throat and elbow sleeves. She said—"If there is one thing above another I detest it is being made a circus of, and that is what has come to me in my old age, as it were. I've been a show and the whole family's been a show since Mr. Harrison was elected. But I don't propose to be made a circus of forever."

This story is in a new book called "White House Gossip," by Edna M. Colman. A nice book to give mothers and grandmothers and great-aunts whom it will inspire to reminisce.

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With ears plugged and eyes blindfolded she laid her fingertips on paper money and called off its denomination, and she felt newspaper headlines and told what they said. She said she "read" them through her sense of feeling.

Prof. Joseph Jastrow, psychologist of the University of Wisconsin, denounced her claims as fakery, and the medical profession generally concurred in his view, but the Chicago Medical society subjected her to tests and admitted interest.

Scores of stage offers came to her and were declined. She went back to school from a Christmas vacation at her home here and announced that she could see and hear. Examination bore out her statement, and Prof. Jastrow said it proved his contention that she never was wholly blind nor deaf. Physicians attributed the recovery to her improved physical condition.

MOTORED HERE FROM ROGERS PARK
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Berg motored here from Rogers Park to spend the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Roe, parents of Mrs. Berg. They were accompanied to Dixon by Mrs. Roe who had been visiting her daughter and husband for a few days, at Rogers Park.

THE SCOTS ARE COMING
Glasgow—The United States will receive the largest influx of Scotsmen in its history this year if all those come over who have indicated a desire. Twenty of the largest liners would be required to haul those who have applied for American visas in Glasgow alone. Fifty thousand have registered at the American consulate.

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Matinee Ladies

BY William B. Courtney

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SYNOPSIS
Bob Ward, working his way through college, finds with his chums, Freddy and Arch, an easy way to earn money—working as dancing partners, of afternoons, for rich women in a fashionable New Jersey roadhouse. Bob thinks it isn't a fit way to make a living; but, to get funds to finish school, goes. At the Inn he sees the prettiest, sweetest girl he has ever laid eyes on—Sally, the cigarette girl. Reciprocating his interest, she turns him against the mysterious and beautiful Mrs. Hammond, habitué of the Inn, who eagerly dances with him.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

During the two brief encores to that first dance with her Bob was making plans to get away from the captivating Mrs. Hammond. He had undeniably enjoyed the physical sensation of dancing with the gorgeous, mysterious creature, but he was alarmed by the queer sense of oppressiveness, of being entwined, that came over him in flashes when the dancing had ceased; and he had only the social contact with her.

In the dance her body, pressed close to his, had felt warm and supple; firm yet gently yielding, like a young girl's body. There was none of the softness of maturity about Mrs. Hammond. Yet, now, when the syncope had ceased, Bob experienced a queer revulsion of feeling against that body. He felt that, quiescent, it would be cold, like a snake's.

He bowed, anxious to be off, when he had escorted her back to her table.

But Mrs. Hammond had not the faintest intention of excusing him; in fact she was not a little surprised at noting his eagerness to leave her. It had been her lot to have partners, heretofore, who

He bowed, anxious to be off.

stuck like leeches, who curried the favor of her grandly bestowed partnership, who fawningly recognized the great honor and distinction entailed in a dance with her.

Her selection had counted great in this roadhouse before to-day.

And here was an upstart fidgeting to get away from her! Palpably afraid that she was going to signify her intention of selecting him for another dance! It was not from sheer nervousness, either; not from any sense of being overwhelmed in the presence of royalty.

It was downright independence, indifference!

A new experience indeed, for the wealthy, wilful Mrs. Hammond. Her first, and most natural, impression was one of annoyance, of injured prestige.

Then suddenly it dawned upon her that here at hand was what she had been looking for all the time, through so many weary afternoons; here was what she had sought, dance in and dance out, these many months. Here was her thrill!

For she was the huntress! She, who for her white body and glorious beauty, had been hunted to satiety—to the point of disgust with men. Perhaps she had not recognized herself what it was she had been seeking in the way of a thrill. She had not given it a great deal of thought. It had been an almost instinctive hunt, a haphazard diversion—entered into to kill time. But now that she was face to face with the experience, with the sensation, she knew that it was what she had been hoping to encounter.

a man!—rather than to be hunted by a man!

Suddenly the world seemed an interesting place to the pleasure-jaded, wealth-surfetted woman. Had she no money, had she no experience, she would have felt a primeval joy in pursuing this man. Here was a battle elemental, for which she needed only the lure of her beautiful body and face, the tantalizing clasp of her slim hands. But, being equipped with the other advantages as well, she instantly and unconsciously tried to exert them.

Tingling, glorying, she reveled in the ecstasy of her newfound thrill. Found—at last! With glinting eyes, with quickened heart, with triumphant words she charged to the subtle attack.

"Why, Mr. Ward, you do seem positively anxious to desert me!" "Oh, no, Mrs. Hammond, it isn't that exactly, but—" "See, there is some other woman, I suppose, with whom you would rather dance?" "No!" Bob countered desperately; "I only—" "Then why so many excuses? Why can't you at least be— I might say, polite—and sit down with me a moment?"

Bob slumped awkwardly into a chair, facing her. He felt defeated, chagrined. His face was flushed—he could tell from the heat in his cheeks; and that only served to add to his discomfort, because it exposed him to the enemy.

Enemy? After all, why enemy? Wasn't Mrs. Hammond simply a lovely, lonesome lady who had signified a slight interest in him—nothing to grow panicky, certainly not concerted, about? Would it be so terrible, he found himself questioning his inner consciousness, if Mrs. Hammond should take a definite interest in him?

But—there! That fickleness which alarmed him so, that disloyalty to the ideal he had discovered in little Sally Smith, and the idealism which he had cherished as a shining banner to uphold his own conception of worthwhile womanly character and virtue, were nothing more nor less than the spell this woman was weaving over him. She was hypnotizing him!

She was saying, softly, almost cooily, while she leaned her ivory elbows upon the polished table and rested a delicately moulded chin on her cupped hands, "May I call you Bob? Mr. Ward is so unfriendly. And we want to be good friends, don't we—Bob?"

Bob nodded helplessly. "Yes, Ma'am!"

She laughed mustily at the "Ma'am!"

"It's a long time since anyone said 'Ma'am' to me—under just these circumstances. It sounds awfully nice—awfully old-fashioned, Bob!"

Bob grinned sheepishly, and wished she would not put just that little touch of intense intimacy, express personalism, into her manner and speech. It was most disconcerting. Got a fellow all balled up; got his signals crossed.

"You are an old-fashioned boy, aren't you, Bob?" Somehow Mrs. Hammond found herself asking this question with an anxious catch in her voice—a vague fear that perhaps his answer would prove that she had read him wrong; that he was not the unsophisticated, wholesome boy he appeared at first blush. That his shyness was just boorishness. She hung anxiously on his answer.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Now We Know

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WANTED—A small building, suitable for brooder house, or quantity of lumber. Arthur Levan, Phone 66500. 6813t

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Situations. Married men for farm work or farm managers. dairy experience. Inquire Elgin Employment Agency, 19 Douglas Ave., Elgin, Ill. 6713t

SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Salesman. We want one live wire salesman in Lee county to sell "Iowa A Mineral Feed" direct to the farmer at wholesale price of \$2.55 per cwt. in lots. A real money making proposition. Write to The Wholesale Mineral Co., Elgin, Ill. 6713t

WANTED—Men with ability who own cars can make a profitable connection with a large corporation. Work requires selling our product in rural communities. To men that can qualify we assure a permanent position and salary. Sales experience not absolutely necessary. Write giving record as to past employment and success. Address: Salesmanager, Dept. 27, Box 207, Des Moines, Ia. 6713t

WANTED—Manager to take charge of office at Dixon by a good company. Steady position for a good steady man. Experience not necessary as we want man who can follow instructions from factory. \$650 cash investment required, fully secured. This position will pay about \$3,200 per year. Answer giving your address, address, phone number and address. Address letter to "A1" care Dixon Telegraph. 6813t

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AUTOMOBILE EXPERTS ARE IN demand. You don't have to leave home to learn. You study in your spare time. Endorsed by famous auto manufacturers. Write today for full details. International Correspondence Schools, Box 339, Scranton, Pa. 4312t

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LOST—Black pocketbook containing about \$200 in change, 1 C. Annual class with owners name, Elgin watch and other articles on Lowell Park road Friday afternoon. Reward if returned to this office. 6613t

LOST—White gold wrist watch Wednesday night. Reward. Finder please leave at this office. 6713t

LOST—Navy blue silk umbrella. Woodrow handle, leather thong. Reward. Call Phone 175. 6813t

RADIO SERVICE

REPAIRS ON ALL MAKES. HIGH-class work, tubes, batteries and Utah speakers. Webster Electrical Station, 35 Peoria Ave. 541t

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Richard A. Woodruff, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator with the Will annexed of the estate of Richard A. Woodruff, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 8th day of March, A. D. 1927. F. X. NEWCOMB, Administrator with the Will annexed. Dixon & Dixon, Attorneys. Mar 8 15 22

MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE. (Foreclosure.) State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In the Circuit Court of said County, The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, a corporation, Complainant.

vs. Alice S. Countryman, Mary A. McBride, James J. McBride and The Lee National Farm Loan Association, a corporation, Defendants. In Chancery Bill to Foreclose Mortgage. AND Gen. No. 4130. The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, a corporation James J. McBride, Catherine McBride, Alice Countryman, Defendants. Cross-Bill to Foreclosure Mortgage. GIVEN that I, James W. Watts, Master-in-Chancery of the Circuit Court in and for said Lee County, by and of an order and decrees of said Circuit Court to the County, made and entered on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1924, at the January A. D. 1924 term of said court, in said cause, having in pursuance of said decrees and the statute in such case made and provided, executed and delivered to the complainant herein a certificate, bearing date, October 27th, A. D. 1925, and executed and delivered to the cross-complainant herein a certificate, bearing date October 27th, A. D. 1925, and filed a duplicate of each certificate in the office of the recorder of said County, and no redemption having been made from said certificates or either of them, and said decrees not having been satisfied, will on MONDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1927, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the Court House in said County of Lee, sell at public vendue, for cash in hand, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy the amounts due under said certificates, together with interest thereon from the date of said certificate, and expenses of sale, and such other sums as by the statute in such case made and provided, all and singular, the following described real estate in said County of Lee, to-wit: The East Half (1/2) of the Northwest quarter (1/4) of Section eight (8), in Township Nine (9) North of Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois. Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 19th day of February, A. D. 1927. JAMES W. WATTS, Master-in-Chancery of the Circuit Court of Lee County, Illinois. H. A. Brooks, Solicitor for Cross-complainant. T. E. Kircher, Solicitor for Complainant. Mar 8 15 22

—Do you read the classified ad column each evening? You will find there much of interest.

SLAUGHTERS OF MIDAS

by Anne Austin

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A girl stood staring at him, her violin cradled in her arm.

THIS HAS HAPPENED

CLAY CURTIS, returning to COLLEGE from a flying trip to New York, stuns his father, THOMAS QUINN CURTIS, known to every employee of his mammoth department store as "Old T. Q.," by announcing he will no longer remain under his father's roof.

He admits that CLAUDE D. V. NELL, a musical comedy star, has thrown him over because she has learned that their marriage will mean Clay's disinheritance. To regain his self-respect, Clay declares he must make his own way and give the lie to his father's fear that he couldn't support himself.

Old T. Q. then offers him the assistant manager's job of the store. Clay refuses, as he recognizes the offer to be but another soft berth prepared for him by his father, whom he admires tremendously and whom he wishes to imitate by making his own way.

The old man yields to the son's point of view and the two part in sorrow rather than anger. Clay prepares to leave. He has been a student of music and his ambition is to become a great composer. Old T. Q.'s eyes dim with sadness when he is left alone. He wonders how things would have been if he had had a daughter instead of a son. In his reverie he murmurs, "Well—maybe I will."

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER II

WHEN Clay Curtis left his father to brood alone in the library, he went to his own rooms on the second floor—an apartment that had seen little of him since his college days, but which was always kept in readiness against his return.

He went to the phonograph, opened a drawer and took out the first big red record that his fingers touched. It happened to be a reproduction of the first movement of Beethoven's "Eroica" symphony, as played by the New York Philharmonic Orchestra. He adjusted the needle, and as the music flooded forth, he stepped into the second of the suite of three rooms, his bedroom, and began to pack.

The suitcase which he had brought with him from his flying trip to New York contained dinner clothes, a business suit, four custom-made shirts, three suits of silk pajamas, half a dozen pairs of silk socks, a dozen of his favorite cologne, a week's supply of handkerchiefs, five suits of his made-to-order underwear, four cravats from the stock he had laid in on his last visit to Paris, and a heavy dark-blue silk dressing gown.

"Two suits, counting the one I've got on," he muttered to himself. "Reckon that's about all any struggling young Horatio Alger hero has a right to take away with him. Might as well leave the Tux in there. May get an invitation to the Bollermakers' Ball."

From his dressing room he brought a second suitcase, and taking it into the library of his suite, he began filling it with a carefully selected stock of music, three or four of his most prized volumes and a great pile of manuscript that he had himself written. Into it, too, went the tools for setting music down—ink, special pens, music manuscript paper, ink erasing fluid—anything that he could lay his hands on, for, as he told himself, the "truck" could be of no use to anyone but himself, and without it he would be lost.

He paused at the door of the bedroom for a last look at the ease and comfort and luxury he was voluntarily giving up. How big his rooms were! How soft and thick the carpets, how sturdy and genuine the heavy furniture! He would miss his piano, his phonograph with its records of symphonies and operas, his musical library. Suddenly he remembered that he had not packed his violin.

"Well, Dad, I'm off. I'm taking

denly he wondered why he was going, where he was going. Wasn't he just a melodramatic, sentimental kid, making a fool of himself? He had known soft carpets and wide, soft, deep beds, and the luxuries of a perfect bathroom, all of his life. He couldn't earn—why he couldn't earn enough to pay the rent on one room, as good as these he was giving up! He who loved beauty and music and peace and leisure was hurrying himself into ugliness and noise and struggle and vicious, mean poverty. Why? Why?

He dropped his suitcases, turned toward his piano, the beautiful, perfect instrument that responded to his touch as if it loved him. Then, as plainly as if she were in the room, he heard the tinkling, bittered laughter of Claire Donnell.

"Why, Clay, you couldn't get a job if they were giving them away as Christmas presents!"

He couldn't, huh? He laughed shortly, snatched up his suitcase, and ran downstairs. At the foot of them stood Mrs. Moore, the housekeeper.

"There you are, Clay. I was just coming up to tell you I have a nice little supper set out for you in the breakfast room. Or would you like to have it with your father? We're all glad you're home again, Clay. Stay a while this time."

She was pretending that she did not see the suitcases. "I'm off, again, Mrs. Moore. Thanks a lot, but I won't wait to eat now. You've been awfully good to me." And he put his hands on her shoulders and stooped over her to kiss her soft, fat cheek.

"Well, Dad, I'm off. I'm taking

a few things—just what clothes I'll be sure to need before I get on my feet, and some music that I knew no one else would want. That all right, Dad?"

Old T. Q. rose from his chair, standing six feet two. He frowned down on his son, who was an inch and a half shorter.

"Don't talk like a fool," T. Q. said drily. "How about money? Got anything left in the bank?"

The boy flushed. "I'm afraid I'm overdrawn. I gave Claire a sapphire and diamond bracelet before I told her your decision, and she didn't offer to give it back. I wouldn't have taken it anyway, of course. But I've got a little, loose change in my pocket, I think."

He thrust his hand into a pocket and drew out a silver bill clip and a handful of small coins. "About twenty-one dollars, I think. Enough to do me until I get a job of some kind. No, sir, I don't want any more," he protested earnestly, as his father's hand reached for a checkbook. I tell you, sir, I'm disinheriting myself, and I've got to do the job up brown. As it is, I'm taking an unfair advantage of my new self by carting all these good clothes away with me. Ought to earn them, too."

T. Q. thrust out a hand. "I guess it's goodbye. As you say, you're disinheriting yourself. Well, son, you'd better stay disinherited until you're ready to come back and go to work in the Curtis Store. You've shown me tonight that I've been wrong, letting you play around, filling your foolish head up with music. When you're ready to come home and go to work and take your place in the world as the future

owner of the Curtis Store, I'll be mighty glad to see you. But—until then—well, I guess we'd better not see each other. Goodbye, son. Take care of yourself."

"Goodbye, Dad. I want to say again that I'm kicking myself out because I want a chance to make myself, as you made yourself. And I meant it when I said I admire you more than any person in the world. And take care of yourself."

Twenty-one dollars and thirteen cents! Thirteen cents! What did people do with thirteen cents? Where had the extra three cents come from anyway? Change from paper boys, probably. But he usually let them keep the change—

It was odd, Clay Curtis thought, as he walked briskly through the bitter cold of the early January night, that he should be thinking about dollars and cents, instead of about his father, and his father's heartache and loneliness, and his own future.

Twenty-one dollars and thirteen cents! Why, that wouldn't keep him a day at a hotel, the kind of hotel he'd been used to. Was that why his father had grinned when he looked at the money? Thought he'd be sneaking home again in twenty-four hours, broke and willing to be a good boy and mind his Dad. Funny how that cold-hearted little gold-digger's words kept coming back to him. And how he'd loved her! Her gold and pink and white beauty! Her perfect body, displayed like a white statue to all who had five dollars and a half to pay for a ticket to the newest revue in New York. She'd never been real, he knew now, until that last half hour, when she'd mocked him, laughed at him, and kicked him out for a bald-headed butter-and-egg man.

Well, he couldn't walk the streets all night. He hardly knew where he was; had not been paying much attention. But he had turned instinctively toward the poorer part of the town, the section where working people lived in small cottages. He must have walked fifteen or twenty blocks, he thought, as he looked about him. He was cold and tired.

He was looking for a street sign when he became conscious of music. Violin music. He stopped, without realizing that he was drifting, so, leaned against a low picket fence and listened. It was odd that such music should come from a funny little house like that. There were lights in the front room, showing along the edge of a cracked green shade.

"That's real playing," he told himself incredulously, forgetting the cold and the future. "Who would have dreamed of hearing Chopin played by a genius on the violin in a funny little dump like this?"

Then he became aware of a white cardboard, leaning in black, tacked upon the corner of the house nearest the little scrap of front porch. He could not read the lettering, but he had an instinctive knowledge of what it said. Lifting his suitcase, he pushed through the little gate, stopped at the steps and lighted a match to read the card. He had guessed correctly. The lettering was: "Furnished Room for Rent, With or Without Meals."

"With meals—and music," Clay Curtis grinned to himself in the dark as he rapped upon the door. A girl opened for him, stood staring at him, her violin lying cradled in her arm.

(To Be Continued)

Clay Curtis has found a home—and a girl who of the change his whole life for him. Meet Billy Wells in the next chapter.

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Confessions of Washington Wives

Being Intimate Stories of the Woman's Side of Official Life in the Capital

CHAPTER XIII

Washington, March 22—Toughie is the name of Mrs. Harry New, wife of the postmaster general.

And if Toughie has a cat outdoors and makes a wild rush for the door, and if his mistress, Mrs. New, enters the room, Toughie puts on the brakes, stands aside like a perfect little gentleman, permits his mistress to precede as ranking member, and trusts that by the time a mere dog can get out, the cat will be there.

Rank Means Everything

Toughie is not the only member of the animal kingdom suffering from precedence in Washington.

Rank is part of the very fiber of the city.

Even Servants Want Rank

Servants only take jobs in the home of those lower in rank when they cannot get anything better, and there is always something better in this city where woman tells not, neither does she spin, and where Mrs. Wilbur, wife of the secretary of the navy, is not even yet quite forgiven for being photographed hanging her clothes on the line.

Cooks and waitresses and chambermaids and butlers rank in their own organizations, lodges and unions, according to the rank of their employers.

"Minnie, my maid, announced she had to go," a senator's wife narrated. "An employment bureau had phoned that they had a job for her in a diplomat's household. She wept when she left, and said:

To Win an Election

"I wouldn't leave you for anything in the world, ma'am, but we have election night at lodge next Thursday and this job'll give me a good chance at being president."

This matter of seating and leaving and standing according to rank causes all kinds of difficulties. A certain woman, for instance, had invited three senators' wives and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson to a musicale. After the invitations had gone she discovered that there were but three front seats in the box. It was impossible to choose the two to sit in front with Mrs. Wilson, so the lady canceled the party.

What to Do

Ever since a Mrs. K. Pittman went home from a party because she was seated wrong, and then campaigned among members of the Congressional Club and the Senate Ladies' Luncheon Club for stricter observance of their "obligations," newcomers are handed little booklets by both clubs telling them just what is expected of them to uphold the honor of the nation.

But these little booklets forget to tell what to do in the exceptional case, for instance, which is most every case.

What to do, for instance, about Alice Longworth, who ranks several ways. One thing is demanded for the daughter of a former president, another for the wife of the speaker of the House.

They All Pull "Boners"

There is not a woman in official life in Washington who cannot tell of some "boner" she has pulled.

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Most of them will tell of the dinner or tea or something or other they attended, wondering why in the world folks didn't go home, only to be finally told in a whisper that folks couldn't go home until they themselves had gone, because they were "ranking guests."

The diplomatic set are most finicky about their places at table, regarding any personal slight as an affront to their nation.

Even the august White House is not above criticism, as there are any number of stories of guests refusing to sit down to state dinners until their seats were changed, nearer the host, or farther from an obnoxious right or left-hand neighbor.

Just Good Business

This is not considered rudeness—

Polo Personals

Polo—The Polo grade and high school students are enjoying a week's vacation. They will resume their school duties Monday, March 28. During this week the high school equipment is being moved from the Polo school building to the new community high school building and the high school students will be in their new home after the spring vacation.

The Savannah Construction Co., of Savannah, Ill., had the building contract, Kline and Heckman of Dixon had the plumbing and heating contract and the Ridgeway Electric Co. of Freeport had the lighting contract. The building was started in April 1926.

The service of the Polo Telephone Co. has been lately crippled by the sheet storm of Saturday night. Out of the 52 farm lines in operation, only five lines are giving service and on these five lines, less than half of the subscribers are able to have service.

merely good business.

The society columns of Washington papers zealously observe this matter of precedence, topping the list with the names of the president and Mrs. Coolidge, following with vice president, ambassadors, judiciary, cabinet, senators, congressmen.

Precedence. The president of the United States stops aboard the Mayflower in front of his wife, charming though she may be. They say he must. Other folks say it's up to some president to establish a precedent by refusing to do it.

(Speaking of presidents' wives, next you'll hear about the paste jewels that Mrs. Coolidge wears in her hair, and a few other things.)

vice. One lead north from the C. B. Noble corner has thirty poles down. In every direction, poles and wires are down. Out of the 16 toll lines the only one in use is the line from Polo to Milledgeville. There are numerous city lines out of order also. An extra crew of men have been put to work but there can not be any definite statement made, as to when service can be reestablished.

Mrs. George McGrath visited her brother, Father Joseph Lonergan, Sunday, who is a patient at St. Anthony's hospital in Rockford where he underwent an operation last week for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metzler of

Oregon were dinner guests in the Mrs. Maria Klock home Saturday evening.

Verne Weekley spent the week end at his home in Prophetstown.

Miss Nellie Clark of Blue Island, Pa., Fred Clark of Racine, Wis., and Robert Clark who is attending the University of Illinois, arrived home Saturday, called by the serious illness of their mother Mrs. S. C. Clark.

Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. Alfred Beck of White Water, Kansas, and her brother, Elmer Shuber of Clinton, Ia., arrived Sunday.

Irvin Bellows of Oregon visited his sister Miss Cora, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bridge and daughter Evelyn spent the week end with relatives at Bristol.

Alton Reynolds celebrated her ninth birthday St. Patrick's day and invited her school grade and teacher to help her celebrate the occasion.

Paul and Romaine Stahler of Chicago spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stahler.

Mark Eberly who has a position in Freeport visited his parents Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Eberly Sunday.—K.

There ought to be art critic: What do you think of the museum of art?

FRIEND: Oh, the pictures are good enough, but there ain't no jokes under them.—Answers.



ABE MARTIN

Th' funeral o' th' late emperor o' Japan only cost \$2,000,000, but oxen wuz used instead o' limousines. Miss Fawn Lippincut is writin' some sheet music fer th' Klan.

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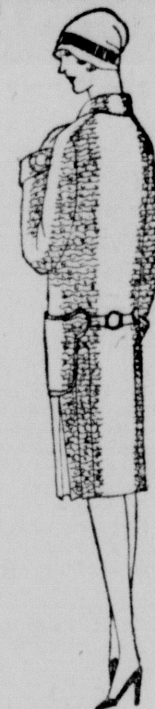
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LOVE BIRDS TO JAPAN
London—When Prince Chichibu of Japan was called home from Oxford by the illness of his father, he took with him a pair of "love birds," popular parlor pets in England. He started a fad in his country that is bringing thousands of the birds each month into the Orient.

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